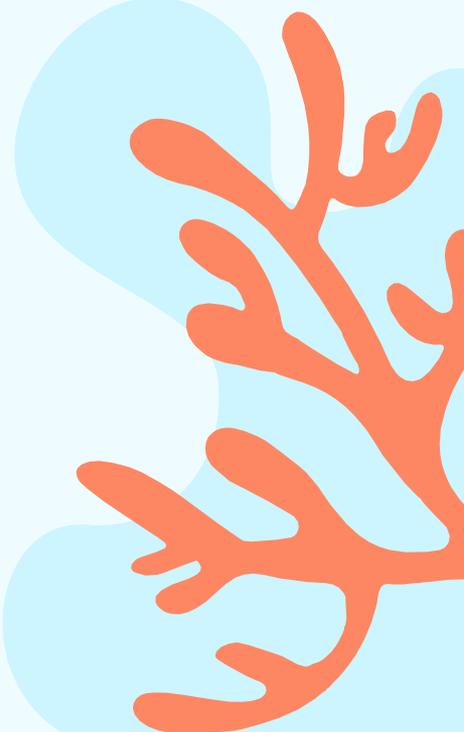


# IMPORTANT CHANGE

CIMI notified us of a CHANGE in arrival time:

PLEASE BE BACK AT THE DOCK by

1:30PM, Sunday, September 25th

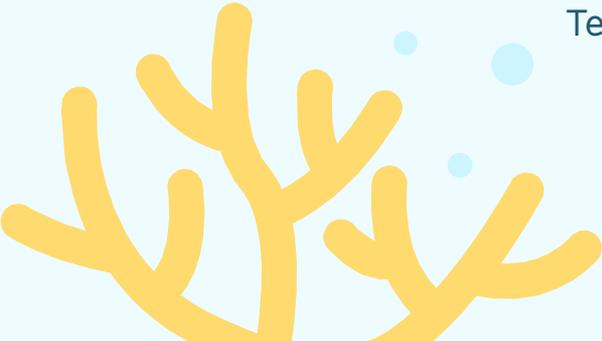


**Calle Mayor Middle School**  
**@ Catalina Island Marine Institute**  
**(CIMI)**

September 23-25 (Fri-Sun)

Lead Teacher: Mrs. Gima

Teacher Chaperones: Mrs. Hata & Ms. Komisaryk



# TORRANCE UNIFIED HAS BEEN SENDING STUDENTS FOR A LONG TIME!



Mrs. Gima in 8th grade at CIMI!

# What is Catalina Island Marine Institute (CIMI)



- Provide exciting science activities on Catalina Island
- Students will be surrounded by marine life while snorkeling
- Be able to observe organisms up-close in experiential science labs
- It's super FUN!

# Experience Exciting Outdoor Education

- Hands on, minds on
- Marine biology & island ecology
- Self-esteem building and teamwork
- Environmental awareness
- Life skills & peer relations



Students will be provided w/ wetsuits and snorkeling gear!



# Logistics

ARRIVE Friday Morning by 8:30AM

Wearing RED shirts or CALLE Wear

1046 Queens Hwy

Long Beach, CA 90802

Parents/Guardians: Be back at the Port of Long Beach (same as drop off location) Sunday, Sept 25 by 1:30PM.

# BOAT RIDE!

- Boat leaves early Friday Morning - get to the pier EARLY
- If you tend to get sea sick, try to stay outside, eyes on the horizon
- Take your medicine before we depart
- Sometimes saltine crackers to nibble on helps or ginger chews



\*There are snacks/drinks for purchase on the ferry but it is pretty expensive.

# Toyon Bay Daily Schedule

7:00AM	Rise and Shine!	12:45/1:00PM	Free Time
7:15/8:00AM	Breakfast	1:45PM	Afternoon Program
7:45/8:30AM	Free Time	5:15/6:00PM	Dinner
9:00AM	Morning Program	7:00PM	Evening Program
12:15/1:00PM	Lunch	9:00/9:30PM	Quiet Hours/Lights Out

Each meal, one group will be selected to:

- Set up
  - Chairs, water pitchers, etc.
- Clean up
  - Stack chairs, wipe tables, sweep, etc.



# MEAL TIME!

Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
<u>Hot bar</u> : pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, hash browns	<u>Hot bar</u> : pizza, hamburgers, corn dogs, cold-cut sandwiches	<u>Hot bar</u> : lasagna (meat & veggie), turkey, chicken, Mexican style meal
<u>Cold/Fruit bar</u> : cereal selection, yogurt, fresh fruit, bagels or english muffins, jam	<u>Salad bar</u> : mixed greens, chopped veggies, cheese, croutons, canned fruit, salad dressings, potato salad, pasta or soup	<u>Salad bar</u> : same as lunch with a vegetarian side dish
<u>Drinks</u> : water, fruit juice, milk	<u>Drinks</u> : water, fruit juice	<u>Drinks</u> : water, fruit juice <u>Dessert</u> : brownies, cookies, cake, ice cream

# DORM LIFE

- Separate guy/girl dorms (dorms/activity groups RANDOMLY assigned - no requests)
- We will have both male and female chaperones who will be in the same dorms, but NOT in the same room as the students
- No food or drinks allowed in the dorms besides water



# PACKING LIST

## Essential Items

- Water bottle
- Shirts/shorts (2-3)
- Jeans or long pants
- Underwear/socks (3-4)
- Sweatshirt or warm jacket
- Beach AND bath towel
- Swimsuit (girls- one piece)
- Toiletries
- Sleeping bag
- Close-toed shoes
- Sandals or flip flops
- Sunscreen
- Small backpack
- Flashlight/headlight
- Face mask

## Optional Items

- Sunglasses
- Hat
- Camera
- Pillow
- Watch with alarm
- Alarm
- Money for souvenirs
- Extra swimsuit (girls- one piece)
- Plastic bags in case your swimwear is wet on the day we leave

## DO NOT BRING

- Cell phones, iPads
- Other electronics
- Knives
- Spearguns
- Firecrackers
- Curling iron/hair dryer
- Valuables
- Alcohol or drugs
- Water guns/balloons
- Fishing gear
- Gum
- Anything else not allowed at school is not allowed at CIMI

**\*\*ONLY BRING WHAT YOU CAN CARRY -  
YOU WILL CARRY YOUR OWN BAGS\*\***

This includes, on and off the boat, as well as several hundred yards to their sleeping accommodations. They will repeat the process on their day of departure.

Pack personal gear in a suitable and well marked bag with your NAME, ADDRESS, SCHOOL NAME, and something PINK attached to the luggage (ie. yarn/ribbon works well or a pink tag). \*This was the color assigned to us by Toyon Bay and helps them identify luggage.\* Students will need to carry their luggage on/off the boat and to their dorm area.

Please note: CIMI does not provide bedding. If you want, you must pack your own. Sleeping bags work well. If you prefer sheets, the beds are twin sized.

# MEDICAL RELEASE FORM

TURN IN TO CALLE FRONT OFFICE BY  
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 14th

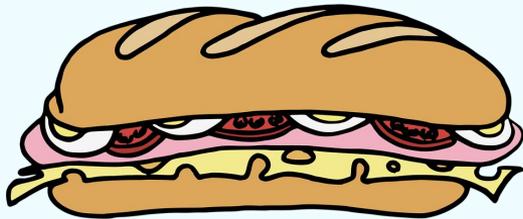
**\*You must provide medication on day of departure. Put it in a ziplock bag labeled with your child's first and last name. Their activity group chaperone will be holding the medication for the weekend.**



[CHAPERONES INFO](#)  
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# BRING A SACK LUNCH FOR DAY 1

Lunch is not provided on our day of travel. Students need to bring their own sack lunch. Please pack their lunch in things that can all be thrown away when they are done.





DON'T FORGET TO PICK UP  
YOUR CHILD ON  
SUNDAY, SEPT. 25th by 1:30PM

1046 Queens Hwy

Long Beach, CA 90802

This is the same as the drop off location.

\*Please respect the time of the parent volunteer chaperones and teacher chaperones by not being late to pick up your child.

The background is a light blue gradient with various underwater-themed illustrations. On the left, there is a large, stylized orange coral structure. In the center, several small green fish are swimming. On the right, there is a dark blue coral structure. Scattered throughout the background are several light blue circles of different sizes, representing bubbles.

# THANK YOU!

## QUESTIONS

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